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MEMORANDUM FOR: RAY LEDDY

SUBJECT: Alerting USIA to Trip by Two-man Guatemalan Team Requested.

It is requested that USIA be alerted to the fact that a two-man team representing the Guatemalan government is preparing to tour Latin American capitals with materials showing the atrocities of the Arbenz regime, photographs of them, and with documents showing Arbenz connections with Communism. USIA will be requested to assist in fullest possible exploitation and coverage of these visits. Identities and itineraries will be forwarded soon.

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Mr. Frank Oram (x 4912) of USIA was notified of above at 1630 on 12 Aug 54.

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